

Coach Tabs Bobby Moon As Cage Player of Year

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Late Model Stock Cars to Turn The Carrell Oval Next Sunday

Late model stock cars return to Carrell Speedway's half-mile Sunday, March 22, with the URA sanctioning the 100-Mile Stock Car Championship event.

Quite a few 1953s will be in the thick of the speed scramble, reports Promoter Don Basile. It will be the first race since 3-A's recent stock car attempt which saw five cars flip.

URA officials, headed by Roy Ross, point out that roll bars have been used by URA since inception of stock car racing. In addition "safety hubs" are used which prevent disastrous happenings, in most crashes.

Once again the battle for top spot looms between the fabulous Hudson Hornets and the 1953 Dodge Red Ram V-8s. The URA has had two stock car events. In the first 100 miler, the Dodge won, while the second race found the Hudson in first place with the Dodge a strong second.

Other popular makes entered will include Olds, Mercury, Ford sixes and V-8s, Studebakers, Pontiacs, Buicks, Packards and the De Soto Firestone.

Basile released Carrell's spring racing schedule through Memorial Day's 500-Lap Stock Car URA Championship.

March 22—URA stock car championship 100 miles.
 March 29—CRA Hot Rods.
 April 26—CRA Hot Rods.
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 May 3—AMA Motorcycles.
 May 10—URA Sprint Cars.
 May 17—CRA Hot Rods.
 May 24—URA Mighty Midgits.

Samohi Coach Headed for Job With California

Coaching staffs throughout the Bay League were wondering what they could look forward to from Santa Monica during the next grid season after the announcement that Jim Sutherland, the brilliant coach of the Vikings, had been dickered for an assignment with the University of California.

Rated one of the best prep grid coaches in the West, Sutherland has put the Santa Monica grid team on top of the CIF in 1941, 1947, and 1952, and has won the Bay League crown every year since 1946 with the exception of 1949—and he tied up the league with Leuzinger that year at 6-1.

Sutherland's assignment with the Golden Bears is not definite. He was slated as a co-coach for the South Shrine team against the Northerners in the Coliseum Aug. 7. Whether his new assignment would alter these plans was not indicated.

Moon Chosen Player of Year

Torrance High School basketball players were kings of the campus for a few hours Friday evening as the First Annual Basketball Awards Banquet was held in the school cafeteria to honor the athletes.

A singled out for special praise were the school's two players named to league teams—Bobby Moon, who was named on the Bay League's first string, and Harold Holmes who received honorable mention. Moon was named player of the year.

Basketball Coach Tom Bailey of El Camino College for the past two years gave the principal address to the athletes, their fathers, and school officials.

Gold basketballs and a trophy were presented to the League championship Cee team by its coach, Cliff Graybehl. Coach Don Porter handed chenille letters to his Bee team members, and was followed by Welch, who presented letters to his varsity cage players. He topped his presentation with the awarding of an All-League trophy to Moon, and certificates from the league to Moon and Holmes.

Coach Bailey outlined the qual-

LITTLE LEAGUE BEGINS WORK ON BASEBALL SITE



(Herald Photo) LEAGUE OPENER... A positive step toward Little League ball in Torrance was taken yesterday as two heavy graders moved onto the corner of the Torrance Municipal Airport to begin leveling off a field leased to Little League by the city. Backers of the junior League baseball association hope to have a four-team league in operation this summer and more next year.

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LADIES HANDICAP (27th Week)

Sports Club	74 1/2	33 1/2
Bickar Electric	80	40
Selma Cleaners	82	41
Gary Jewelers	81	40 1/2
Schultz & Peckham	80	40
Daniels	84	42
Canonites Auto Paint	85	42 1/2
Mascotta	85 1/2	42 1/2

FRIDAY OWL (25th Week)

Team No. 3	38	19
Red's Polar Kitchen	39	19 1/2
Team No. 4	38	19
Faul's Chevrolet	37	18 1/2

TORRANCE DOUGLAS (24th Week)

Raiders	28 1/2	14 1/4
Ten Spotters	28	14
Jets	26	13
Cats	25	12 1/2
High Flyers	16	8
Rockets	14	7
Flying Saucers	13 1/2	6 3/4
Ads	11	5 1/2

EL-TORO DOUGLAS (24th Week)

Notso Holohola	63 1/2	31 3/4
Whosats	59	29 1/2
Torrance Terror	57	28 1/2
Old Smoothies	52	26
Pencil Pushers	41	20 1/2
The Cards	35 1/2	17 3/4
Handicapped	37	18 1/2
Ole Pros	35	17 1/2

LONGREN HANDICAP (25th Week)

Pin Routers	45	22 1/2
Hard Tops	43	21 1/2
Dead Enders	41	20 1/2
Hide Binders	39	19 1/2
Metal Knockers	37	18 1/2
Long Grins	36	18
Tin Benders	32	16
Aircrafters	27	13 1/2

MEN'S HANDICAP (25th Week)

Chat & Nibble	19	9 1/2
Odd Balls	19	9 1/2
Dow Chemical (B)	18	9
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Rogers Liquor	16 1/2	8 1/4
Domiano	16	8
Schwartz Men's Store	12	6
Chicago Bridge & Iron	10 1/2	5 1/4

COLUMBIA STEEL (25th Week)

Bollermakers	85	42 1/2
Rif. & Main	80	40
All Americans	48	24
Rolling Mill	44	22
Cranemen	43	21 1/2
Ind. Rel.	42	21
Lab.	42	21
Nail Mill	36	18
Electric Shop	35	17 1/2

Moose Keglers Take 3-Game Lead in League

By JOE PIATT

Repeating a last frame surge of power that has resulted in a number of victories during the season, the Torrance Moose Lodge this week moved into a three-game lead in the Recreation Department bowling league by defeating the Walteria Businessmen in three games, while the helpless second-place Lions No 1 keglers were being trounced by the American Legion.

The Moose keglers came from behind twice to hand the Walteria players two stinging defeats and the series loss. Captain Gordon Jones paced the winners with a much-needed 170 third game.

Ross Hood's 201-523 total for the evening's work led the underdog American Legion squad to an upset three-out-of-four series win over the fallen Lions No 1 team. Ernie Slobosky's 269 second game saved one contest for the tared Lions.

Jim Henning's '61 and "Bud" Fakner's '64 spelled three wins for the Hollywood Rivers Sports men over Henry Burke's Lions No 2 team. Burke's keglers are seven games off the pace with eight games left to play.

With just two weeks of league play remaining, the Moose will attempt to make their hold on first place more secure when they meet the Jaycees in Wednesday's competition at the Torrance Bowl. The Junior Chamber continued a late season dash by whipping the Lutheran Men in three games behind Don Carpenter's 180-463.

Volunteers Prepare Diamond for Boys

Hopes for inaugurating Little League baseball in Torrance were one step closer to realization today as crews of volunteers turned out yesterday to start preparing a diamond for the league on the southeast corner of Torrance Municipal Airport.

Two heavy graders, donated by Coy Construction Co. of Long Beach and the City of Torrance, began knocking down the heavy stand of oats and preparing a diamond on the site leased to the league by the city.

Jack Stephens and Bane Hale volunteered their services as equipment operators for the project, according to James Nix, who is supervising the preparation of the playing area.

Showing up in uniform to see that things were done right were nearly a dozen young boys who hope to make one of the four teams planned for this year. Helping get things started were Richard Nix, David Warren, Paul Moir, David Hawkins, Jim Hawkins, Tommy Coleman, Ronald Evans, Dennis Hanson, Gary Schmidt, and Charles Thorne.

Douglas Moir, president of the local Little League organization, said yesterday that he hopes to have everything ready including a set of bleachers by the time school is out.

The group is seeking help from residents and merchants of the area, he said. He indicated that they need material and money to get the league started. After the first couple of years, the leagues are intended to be self-supporting.

Jordan Stops Narbonne in Dual Meet

By ADRIENNE HILDWELL

In the first Marine League track meet of the season last Friday, the Narbonne Gauchos lost to a superior Jordan Bulldog team, 67 2/3-34 1/3, on the victors' field.

Narbonne's cinder men showed up very well against the all-powerful Bulldog team, classed as the Gauchos' toughest opponents this season.

One of the most spectacular races of the meet was the 440-Yard Dash—Brown (J), Mathews (J), Decker (N), 22.7s.

440-Yard Run—Robins (N), Neal (J), Mariano (J), 55.8s.

850-Yard Run—Marsh (N), Ramirez (N), Parkinson (J), 2m 12.8s.

Mile — Dreyer (N), Holquin (J), Chudy (N), Gaines (J), 13.8s.

120-Yard High Hurdles — Gaines (J), Chudy (N), Mariano (J), 15.7s.

Shot Put—Beverage (J), Holstrom (N), Wright (J), 55 ft. 6 in.

Pole Vault—Moore (N), Moore (J), Finley (N), 12 ft. 4 in.

High Jump—Gamble (J), Gordon (J), the between Martinov (N), Taylor, Gaines (J), 4 ft.

Broad Jump—Gamble (J), Mathews (J), Mariano (J), 22 ft. 1 in.

Relay—Jordan, 3 min. 12.6s.

Final Varsity Score: Jordan 87%; Narbonne, 84%.

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